

New York State Athletic Commission Minutes, October - November 1953

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The two thousand one hundred and twenty-seventh meeting of the State Athletic Commission was held at the office of the Commission, 236 Park 57th Street, New York City, Friday, October 3, 1953.

There were present Commissioners Robert E. Christenberry, Chairman; Clinton R. Powell; Deputy Commissioners Ralph Halpern, Patrick J. McElhaney, Joseph Alperin, Jacob J. Doherty, Alvin K. Rippey, Hazel L. Robbins; Joseph McCallon, Accountant; Harold John, Public Information Officer; Chief Inspector James McNulty; and Executive Secretary Daniel J. Reed.

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Christenberry at 10 A. M.

On motion duly made, seconded, and agreed, the report of the Board of Deputies was accepted.

Thomas Hare, manager, and Francis O'Malley, boxer, appeared relative to a managerial contract made by and between them. They were informed of the rules and regulations of the New York State Athletic Commission and were each duly sworn by the Chairman. They stated, under oath, that all the statements contained in Article Ten of the agreement between the manager and boxer presented this day for the Commission's approval, were the truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth.

At the request of the Chairman, our up-state Deputy Commissioner Edward V. Leonard investigated a situation which was apparent during the Savile-Madillo bout last Friday night at the War Memorial Auditorium in Syracuse. The Chairman advised that he was present at the aforementioned bout and that he had noticed at the commencement of the bout that many of the choice seats were vacant. This was probably due to the fact that

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